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V/LUCKEY, DANYELLE ASHLEY/SR USN
F/B/NEE1/S (b)(6), (b)(7)(C)/18MAY93/ANTIOCH, CA

RESULTS OF ANALYTICAL TIMELINE OF EVENTS

1. On 23Mar17, the NCIS Far East Analytical Team provided investigative assistance by creating a timeline of events that transpired prior to the death of V/LUCKEY. The following is a synopsis of the timeline:

18Aug-7Sep16 V/LUCKEY on leave in California
7Sep16 - departs SFO for Seatac
8Sep16 - departs Seatac for Yokota, Japan
9Sep16 - arrives in Japan and is assigned to Transient Personnel Unit (TPU) Yokosuka, Japan.
22Sep16 - texts her mother stating she is feeling ill
23Sep16 - texts her mother again saying she is still ill
25Sep16 - V/LUCKEY departs Japan for Guam, arrives Guam
25-27Sep16 - V/ stayed in a hotel with 4 friends in Guam. V/ reportedly shopped, ate at restaurants, went to a nightclub, went to the beach and ate at Ihop several times. V/LUCKEY was in touch with mother but no texts were found indicating if she was still ill. Friends reported nothing seemed physically wrong with her, nor did she complain about anything physical.
28Sep16 - USS RONALD REAGAN departs Guam
04Oct16 - V/LUCKEY messages her mother stating she feels ill with vomiting and chills. She planned on going to medical the following day.
04Oct16 - V/LUCKEY administered flu shot by medical
05Oct16- V/LUCKEY first reports to medical with nausea, vomiting.
06Oct16 - V/LUCKEY reports for second time to medical, diagnosed with fever and URI, SIQ chit for 2 days
07Oct16 - V/LUCKEY complained to friends of very painful joints
08Oct16 - V/LUCKEY reports for third time to medical, influenza like symptoms, sore throat, fever. given rapid flue and strep tests. The test results were negative and she was provided Tylenol and Motrin and released.
09Oct16 - V/LUCKEY reports for fourth time to medical. Needed to be assisted as she could not walk. Provided fluids and held overnight.
10Oct16 - V/LUCKEY was in medical from overnight of 09Oct. Laboratory tests results returned indicating liver and kidney failure. Preparations underway for medevac. V/LUCKEY was declared deceased at 1319 hours.

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REPORT OF INVESTIGATION (INTERIM)

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DEATH (II)

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REFERENCE(S)

- (A) NCISRU USS RONALD REAGAN ROI (INTERIM) (Contains Exhibits 1-40)/12NOV16
- (B) NCISRU USS RONALD REAGAN ROI (INTERIM) (Contains Exhibits 41-45)/13DEC16
- (C) NCISRU USS RONALD REAGAN ROI (INTERIM) (Contains Exhibit 46)/13JAN17

EXHIBIT(S)

- (47) IA: Results of Interview of [b](6), (b)(7)(C) and Annette LUCKEY/27Jan17

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. On 10Oct16, this reactive investigation was initiated upon notification of the death of a sailor aboard the USS RONALD REAGAN (CVN-76). At that time, the Special Agent Afloat (SAA) was located in Pusan, Korea, as a member of an advance party which was ashore preparing for the imminent port visit. Initial liaison with and interviews of command legal and medical personnel indicate that V/LUCKEY died after suffering a brief illness. Specifically, on 07Oct16, at approximately 0800 hours, V/LUCKEY reported to medical complaining of influenza-like symptoms, to include a sore throat and a fever. Rapid Flu and Rapid Strep tests were run, with negative results, and no other laboratory tests were conducted at that time. V/LUCKEY was treated as an outpatient, was prescribed Tylenol and Motrin, was ordered to rest, and received a SIQ (Sick-In-Quarters) chit for 48 hours. On 09Oct16, at approximately 1327 hours, V/LUCKEY reported back to medical complaining of nausea, vomiting, light-headedness, and muscle pain. She was prescribed intravenous fluid, Tylenol, and Motrin, and she remained in the ward for six hours, sleeping in a hospital bed for two hours before being released with an additional 48-hour SIQ chit. V/LUCKEY again reported to medical at approximately 2028 hours, complaining of nausea and myalgia. V/LUCKEY was treated with intravenous fluid, Tylenol, ibuprofen, and Benadryl, and remained in the medical ward overnight. The following morning, 10Oct16, V/LUCKEY continued to complain of myalgia but was reportedly mobile and mentally alert. Laboratory tests were completed which indicated V/LUCKEY was suffering from liver and kidney failure. While V/LUCKEY was being prepared for an immediate medical evacuation (medevac), she suffered cardiac arrest.

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V/LUCKEY was provided CPR and life-saving efforts. Medical personnel were able to briefly resuscitate V/LUCKEY twice; however, after approximately two hours of treatment, V/LUCKEY was declared deceased at 1319 hours. On 13Dec16, the Final Autopsy Report was received. The Cause of Death is listed as Sepsis and the Manner of Death as Natural. V/LUCKEY was tested for a variety of tropical infections, with negative results, with the exception of an inconclusive central blood laboratory test for the Zika virus. Both blood and lung cultures tested positive for Streptococcus. The toxicology was negative with the exception of ketamine, which was consistent with her medical treatment. This investigation is pending additional witness interviews and review of the forensic image of V/LUCKEY's cell phone. Investigation continues.

NARRATIVE

1. This reactive investigation is being conducted to determine the circumstances surrounding the death of V/LUCKEY. No violation of a specific criminal statute applies at this time.
2. Previous investigative efforts are documented in References (A) through (C).
3. On 26Jan17, (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) and Annette LUCKEY were interviewed at their residence located at 3786 Arlington Circle Pittsburgh, CA, pertaining to the death of their daughter V/LUCKEY. The LUCKEYs reported V/LUCKEY contacted them on 04Oct16 and reported she was sick. Annette LUCKEY provided text messages she received from V/LUCKEY. Exhibit (47) pertains.
4. CAPT (b)(6), (b)(7)(C), Commanding Officer, USS RONALD REAGAN, as well as the Executive Officer, CAPT (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) USN, and Staff Judge Advocate (SJA), LCDR (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) JAGC USN, have been apprised of the status of this investigation. Rear Admiral (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) Commander Task Force 70, as well as SJA, LCDR (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) USN, have also been apprised of the status of this investigation.
5. This investigation continues pending review of the data forensically extracted from the phone of V/LUCKEY, as well as additional witness interviews.

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RESULTS OF INTERVIEW OF (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) AND ANNETTE LUCKEY

1. On 26Jan17, Reporting Agent (RA) interviewed the LUCKEYS (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) and Annette) at their residence located at 3786 Arlington Circle Pittsburgh, CA.
2. The LUCKEY'S reported in mid May 2016 their daughter, V/LUCKEY, left for Navy basic training and after completion attended her "A School" in Meridian Mississippi. After completing training V/LUCKEY requested an assignment aboard the USS RONALD REAGAN (CVN-76) in Japan. The LUCKEY'S reported when V/LUCKEY was assigned to the REAGAN she was very excited. Annette LUCKEY stated she believed V/LUCKEY arrived in Guam to meet the REAGAN in Mid September and left with the ship on 30Sep16. Annette LUCKEY reported V/LUCKEY spent two weeks going to the beach and relaxing in Guam.
3. Annette LUCKEY reported she received a message from V/LUCKEY on 30Sep16 saying the ship left Guam and she planned on going up on the deck of the ship to watch planes take off. Annette LUCKEY said it appeared V/LUCKEY was enjoying her time on the ship. On 04Oct16, Annette LUCKEY received a message from V/LUCKEY saying she was not feeling well. V/LUCKEY told her mother she had been vomiting, had chills, and planned on going to the medical office the following morning. The following day V/LUCKEY told Annette she was running a fever and received a flu shot. On 06Oct16, Annette LUCKEY received a message from V/LUCKEY saying she was still sick and vomiting. Annette reported later that day she lost contact with V/LUCKEY and never spoke to her again. Annette LUCKEY was asked if she would sign a Permissive Authorization for Search and Seizure for her cellular phone to photograph the messages between her and V/LUCKEY. Annette LUCKEY did not sign the form but allowed RA to photograph some of the messages sent to her by V/LUCKEY. Annette said she did not want the messages she sent to V/LUCKEY photographed because they were personal. Three photographs were taken of messages from V/LUCKEY to Annette LUCKEY utilizing a Canon Power Shot camera; Enclosure (A) pertains. A CD-R containing the three photographs captured from the phone are attached as Enclosure (B).
4. Both Annette and (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) LUCKEY stated V/LUCKEY had no known medical problems and was not being treated for any illnesses before her departure for Guam. The LUCKEYS stated they have received numerous emails and messages from individuals claiming to be from the USS RONALD REAGAN pertaining to the medical care provided aboard the ship to V/LUCKEY and other U.S. Navy members. The LUCKEYS stated they received information that

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another individual died on the same ship two years prior and someone was currently "on their death bed" aboard the ship. The LUCKEYS did not provide any amplifying details of the senders of the information or details about the alleged medical negligence. (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) recounted a conversation he had with an individual he identified as (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) (NFI). (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) stated (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) told him he was with V/LUCKEY during her death. (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) reportedly told (b)(6), (b)(7)(C) he held V/LUCKEY'S hand while she was in the medical facility and "watched her eyes roll back in her head" when she died.

5. The LUCKEYS provided no further pertinent information.

ENCLOSURE(S)

- (A) Three Templeted Photographs of V/LUCKEY'S text messages/26Jan17
- (B) CD-R containing photographs of text messages from V/LUCKEY/26Jan17

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